



New Hampshire Veterans Home

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Fifth Annual “Remember our Veterans” Golf Tournament Raises over \$8,000 for the New Hampshire Veterans Home Benefit Fund

TILTON, NH – September 26, 2003 – The Residents and Staff of the New Hampshire Veterans Home (“NHVH”) extend their gratitude to all players and sponsors who participated in the Fifth Annual “Remember Our Veterans” Golf Tournament on Friday, September 12, 2003 at Canterbury Woods Country Club. The tournament raised over \$8,000, which will be contributed to the “NHVH Benefit Fund” in support of quality of life programs for the men and women of the Granite State who bravely defended our freedoms. Such programs are focused on creating the most homelike atmosphere through a variety of activities, entertainment, outings and equipment. The following sponsors contributed to the overall success of the event: Aavid Thermal Technologies, Inc., Central Paper Products Co., Dobles HUMMER, Ernst & Young, Harvey Construction, J. Jill Group, Providian National Bank, Quality Cash Market, Sheehan Phinney Bass + Green, Steenbeke & Sons and U.S. Senator Judd Gregg.

The tournament welcomed a total of 72 players for the scramble format event. Teams from throughout the Granite State enjoyed a beautiful late summer morning of golf followed by an awards luncheon. An honorary captain who is currently a Resident at NHVH represented each team. The Conlon Transportation team of Rich Conlon, Nancy Chartrand, Ike Eastman and Mike Chartrand turned in an impressive 12 under par to take first place overall. NHVH Resident William Cundy, honorary captain of

the Conlon Transportation team was awarded the “Green Sweater” to wear as a symbol of his team’s tournament victory!

About the New Hampshire Veterans Home

The New Hampshire Veterans Home (“NHVH”) was initially established in Tilton in 1890 as the Soldier’s Home for Civil War Veterans. Today, the modern facility in its countryside setting is home to 150 men and women who have served their country and fellow New Hampshire citizens. The mission of NHVH is to provide high quality, professional long-term care services to the Granite State’s elderly and disabled veterans. NHVH is the only long-term care facility in the Granite State that is dedicated exclusively to veterans.

As a professional health care provider, NHVH offers a full range of services including residential, medical/dental and nursing care as well as physical/occupational therapy, recreation, and dietetic and social services. Chapel services, exercise groups, arts and crafts, shopping trips, live entertainment and various community outings support residents’ quality of life. NHVH also offers inter-generational programs and animal-assisted recreational therapy. Dedicated staff members work in partnership with volunteers from surrounding communities and numerous veteran service organizations to enrich our residents’ lives. NHVH is currently undergoing a 100-bed facility addition that is scheduled for completion in late Summer 2003. MorrisSwitzer Environments for Health, Inc. based in Williston, Vermont is the architect for the addition. Harvey Construction Corporation of Bedford, New Hampshire is the project builder.

Additional information is available online at our website www.state.nh.us/veterans

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The Conlon Transportation team took first place overall at the Fifth Annual “Remember Our Veterans” Golf Tournament that was held on September 12, 2003 at Canterbury Woods Country Club. Pictured left to right are Rich Conlon, Nancy Chartrand, William Cundy, NHVH Resident and honorary team captain, Ike Eastman and Mike Chartrand.